

## Chapter 1 : Big and Little Theme and Activities

*Claude Henri Jean Chabrol (French: [klod ÊfabÊ•Ê]; 24 June - 12 September ) was a French film director and a member of the French New Wave (nouvelle vague) group of filmmakers who first came to prominence at the end of the s.*

Brilliant movies, huge lunches 17 Sep Though in his work he pilloried the bourgeoisie " its foibles and petty cruelties " he was himself of this class and shared many of its values: While two of his marriages failed, he retained a touching faith in the institution itself. Born in Paris on June 24 , the son of a pharmacist, Claude Chabrol grew up at Sardent, miles south of the capital, and always regarded himself more of a country boy than a Parisian. Indeed, his first two films were variants on the theme of the town mouse and the country mouse. Movie-mad as a boy, he ran a film club from a barn at the age of 12, developing an early taste for thrillers and detective stories. To please his father, he studied Pharmacy at the Sorbonne and was expected to enter the family business. His military service was duly undertaken in the medical corps, where he reached the rank of sergeant. When he was demobbed, however, he abandoned medicine and sought an independent career related to his first love, cinema. In , aged 25, he landed what should have been a plum job as head of publicity for Twentieth Century-Fox in Paris. It did not work out. Impersonal French films of the time were dismissed in favour of what they regarded as the more individual ones of Roberto Rossellini, Carl Dreyer and Fritz Lang and of a whole slate of Hollywood film-makers hitherto barely taken seriously, such as Howard Hawks, Nicholas Ray and Otto Preminger. Thrillers that had formerly been admired only as superior entertainments were reinterpreted in terms of such theological concepts as the transference of guilt. It was so persuasively argued that for many years this was regarded as the definitive work on Hitchcock, though never translated into English or updated to reflect the many films he made after Hitchcock remained a prime influence on Chabrol, many of whose films had themes and plots that could as easily have been filmed by him. Through the early and mid-Sixties, he seemed incapable of putting a foot right with critics or the public. Self-indulgent art-house fare such as *A Double Tour* , *Les Bonnes Femmes* and *Les Godelureaux* was followed by palpably commercial potboilers with lip-smackingly lurid titles: These in turn were succeeded by awkward bilingual co-productions with Hollywood stars whose best years were behind them. Chabrol did himself no favours by seeming to relish this work. Was he, indeed, so very different from the older school of film makers he professed to despise? It was a premature judgment. Between and he produced a stream of outstanding dramas, many starring his wife, in which he put the bourgeoisie under the microscope, exposing its prejudices and hypocrisies yet defending the strength of family ties. Best of all was *Le Boucher* , about the love between a schoolteacher and the village butcher with a compulsion to murder young women. In general, Chabrol avoided what he called "big subjects", preferring little themes to which he could give the big treatment. Chabrol never recaptured the consistency of his best years but remained a prolific director, making around 60 films in all. It was doubly disappointing in that Chabrol had named Lang, along with two other German directors, Ernst Lubitsch and FW Murnau, as one of the formative influences on his work. He was under no illusions about these films and cheerfully nominated one of them, *The Twist* , with Ann-Margret and Bruce Dern, as the second-worst film ever made. Chabrol was also active in television, for which he made two Henry James short stories in ; four episodes of a series called *Histoires Insolites* in ; and, in , an ambitious documentary about occupied France, *The Eye of Vichy*. With the beginning of the new century, Chabrol seemed to regain his earlier form, making a number of films which were quite well-received. His last film was *Bellamy* , with Gerard Depardieu. They played gluttonous parents whose constant bickering leads to a sticky end when their small daughter plugs her ears against the din and subsequently fails to hear their cries for help. Chabrol was married three times: He had four children.

Chapter 2 : Claude Chabrol - Wikipedia

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Chabrol said that he always thought of himself as a country person, and never as a Parisian. But as a child, Chabrol was "seized by the demon of cinema" and ran a film club in a barn in Sardent between the ages of 12 and 14. After graduating, Chabrol served his mandatory military service in the French Medical Corps, serving in Germany and reaching the rank of sergeant. As a film critic, Chabrol advocated realism both morally and aesthetically, *mise-en-scène*, and deep focus cinematography, which he wrote "brings the spectator in closer with the image" and encourages "both a more active mental attitude on the part of the spectator and a more positive contribution on his part to the action in progress. Years later, when Chabrol and Truffaut had both become successful directors themselves, Hitchcock told Truffaut that he always thought of them when he saw "ice cubes in a glass of whiskey. Early film career[ edit ] The most prolific of the major New Wave directors, Chabrol averaged almost one film a year from until his death. His early films roughly "are usually categorized as part of the New Wave and generally have the experimental qualities associated with the movement; while his later early films are usually categorized as being intentionally commercial and far less experimental. In the mid-sixties it was difficult for Chabrol to obtain financing for films so he made a series of commercial "potboilers" and spy spoofs, which none of the other New Wave filmmakers did. In December of that year Chabrol used the money to make his feature directorial debut with *Le Beau Serge*. *Le Beau Serge* is considered the inaugural film of the French New Wave Film movement that would peak between and Chabrol was the first of his friends to complete a feature film although Jacques Rivette had already begun filming his first feature *Paris nous appartient*, and it immediately received critical praise and was a box office success. Chabrol stated that he made the film as a "farewell to Catholicism", [9] and many critics have called his first film vastly different from any of his subsequent films. The film is a companion piece and a reversal to *Le Beau Serge* in many ways, such as having the responsible student Brialy now play the decadent and insensitive Paul while the reckless Blain now plays the hard-working law student Charles. In this film, the country cousin Charles arrives in the big city of Paris to live with his corrupt cousin Paul while attending school. Paul is very good at gingering things up He can make a character look absolutely ridiculous and hateful in two seconds flat. For his support to the early careers of so many of his friends, Chabrol has been referred to as "the godfather of the French New Wave", although many film histories tend to overlook this contribution and dismiss Chabrol altogether. Most critics praised the film, such as Robin Wood and James Monaco. The film was another box office disappointment for Chabrol. It was followed with two films that were also financially unsuccessful and which Chabrol has admitted to making purely for "commercial reasons". *Les Godelureaux* was made in and hated by Chabrol. It was shot on location in Munich. They later married in and worked together until the late s. Chabrol had said that "I like to get to the absolute limit of principles In *drivel* like the *Tiger* series I really wanted to get the full extent of the *drivel*. Most of these films revolved around themes of bourgeois characters and a murder is almost always part of the plot. The film received critical praise and was a box office hit. It was later remade in by director Adrian Lyne. The French newspaper *Le Figaro* called it "the best French film since the liberation. To his surprise they are only compassionate and forgiving to his crime and Charles cannot find relief from the guilt of what he has done. It received poor critical reviews. He followed this with the equally disliked *Dr.* The film received poor critical reviews, with Richard Roud calling it "rather interestingly loathsome. The film starred a young Isabelle Huppert as a real life Parisian girl from a respectable *petit-bourgeois* family in the s. At night *Violette* sneaks out to pick up men and eventually contracts syphilis, which she convinces her parents must be hereditary before she kills them. The film was controversial in France but praised in other countries. Later work[ edit ].

### Chapter 3 : Claude Chabrol - Telegraph

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Chabrol had in fact written both scripts at around the same time but wisely made the less complex of them first. The stories are mirror images of each other: City life is assumed to be more flexible, more accommodating, but in *Les cousins*, it is nothing of the sort. The Paris Chabrol shows us here is just another, and perhaps deadlier, kind of village. In its early sequences, *Les cousins* plays as farce, a Feydeau variation on fable themes. The camera moves constantly, in intricate and perilously extended deep-focus panning shots that keep finding the characters in different combinations among the bewildering to Charles, at least multitude of guests. Some of these partiers are, inevitably, comely jeunes filles, whom Paul has either already loved and left or not yet gotten around to. But Paul takes her away from him, persuading her, with the help of the slimy Clovis, that it is not in her nature to love Charles—that her corrupted soul and, of course, body is much better suited to him, Paul. He seduces her and moves her into the apartment, to live with him and his disappointed cousin; and then he sits back and watches. This is a far more defensible technique in art than in life. The country mouse throws himself into his studies, squirreling himself away in his room and cramming furiously for his end-of-year exam. For this film, his second experiment as a director, Chabrol brought back his key collaborators from *Le beau Serge*—those who had passed that first test—and began to assemble, as directors do, a reliable team. His editor on *Le beau Serge*, Jacques Gaillard, returned for *Les cousins* too, and stayed with him through the midseventies. In the first film, Blain had the showier role, as a depressive small-town drunk, Brialy the quieter role, as the sympathetic friend and observer. Brialy gets to show off his formidable theatricality, the light-comedy technique so pliable that he can, apparently, give it any kind of shading he chooses; he knows how to turn on the charm, and knows how to make that charm sinister, to whatever degree the scene requires. His next several movies flopped resoundingly, and by the midsixties, he was reduced to working on cheesy spy thrillers as a director for hire. She can be spotted in a few scenes in *Les cousins*. In other words, something like *Les cousins*. The last grim joke of *Les cousins* blooms, characteristically, at its very end: The pessimism of this is so staggering that you can only laugh. *Les cousins*, hollow and profound, is a completely successful experiment.

Chapter 4 : Madame Bovary - Wikipedia

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Illustration without text on page Emma as a transvestite at the ball Madame Bovary takes place in provincial northern France, near the town of Rouen in Normandy. Charles Bovary is a shy, oddly dressed teenager arriving at a new school where his new classmates ridicule him. Emma is a beautiful, daintily dressed young woman who has received a "good education" in a convent. She has a powerful yearning for luxury and romance inspired by reading popular novels. Her father gives his consent, and Emma and Charles marry. Charles means well but is plodding and clumsy. Charles decides his wife needs a change of scenery and moves his practice to the larger market town of Yonville traditionally identified with the town of Ry. There, Emma gives birth to a daughter, Berthe, but motherhood proves a disappointment to Emma. He casts his eye over Emma and imagines she will be easily seduced. He invites her to go riding with him for the sake of her health. Emma and Rodolphe begin an affair. She, consumed by her romantic fantasy, risks compromising herself with indiscreet letters and visits to her lover. After four years, she insists they run away together. Rodolphe does not share her enthusiasm for this plan and on the eve of their planned departure, he ends the relationship with an apologetic, self-effacing letter placed at the bottom of a basket of apricots he has delivered to Emma. The shock is so great that Emma falls deathly ill and briefly turns to religion. They begin an affair. In despair, she swallows arsenic and dies an agonizing death. In his last months, he stops working and lives by selling off his possessions. His remaining possessions are seized to pay off Lheureux. He dies, and his young daughter Berthe is placed with her grandmother, who soon dies. Berthe then lives with an impoverished aunt, who sends her to work in a cotton mill. She has a highly romanticized view of the world and craves beauty, wealth, passion, as well as high society. It is the disparity between these romantic ideals and the realities of her country life that drive most of the novel, leading her into two affairs and to accrue an insurmountable amount of debt that eventually leads to her suicide. He is a country doctor by profession but is, as in everything else, not very good at it. Yet he is a healthy man who enjoys his work, riding about to attend to patients. He is outgoing and friendly, with a gift for remembering names and faces, and he is mostly called upon to perform first aid. He does this competently enough to earn the loyalty and friendship of his patients in Tostes, however when he moves to Yonville to practice medicine there he is sabotaged by the pharmacist Homais. Charles adores his wife and finds her faultless, despite obvious evidence to the contrary. He never suspects her affairs and gives her complete control over his finances, thereby securing his own ruin. Rodolphe Boulanger is a wealthy local man who seduces Emma as one more in a long string of mistresses. Though occasionally charmed by Emma, Rodolphe feels little true emotion towards her. As Emma becomes more and more desperate, Rodolphe loses interest and worries about her lack of caution. After his decision to escape with Emma, he resigns and feels unable to handle it, especially the existence of her daughter, Berthe. Monsieur Lheureux is a manipulative and sly merchant who continually convinces people in Yonville to buy goods on credit and borrow money from him. Monsieur Homais is the town pharmacist. He is vehemently anti-clerical and practices medicine without a license. He had been taken into the house from charity and was useful at the same time as a servant. He harbors a crush on Emma. At one point he steals the key to the medical supply room, and Emma tricks him into opening a container of arsenic so she can "kill some rats keeping her awake". She, however, consumes the arsenic herself, much to his horror and remorse. Francis Steegmuller estimated that the novel begins in October and ends in August This corresponds with the July Monarchy "the reign of Louis Philippe I , who strolled Paris carrying his own umbrella as if to honor an ascendant bourgeois middle class. Much of the time and effort that Flaubert spends detailing the customs of the rural French people shows them aping an urban, emergent middle class. Flaubert strove for an accurate depiction of common life. The account of a county fair in Yonville displays this and dramatizes it by showing the fair in real time counterpoised with a simultaneous intimate interaction behind a window overlooking the fair. Flaubert knew the regional setting, the place of his birth and youth, in and around the city of Rouen in Normandy. His faithfulness to the mundane elements of country life has garnered the book its reputation as the beginning of

the movement known as literary realism. Flaubert uses this juxtaposition to reflect both setting and character. Emma becomes more capricious and ludicrous in the light of everyday reality. Yet her yearnings magnify the self-important banality of the local people. Emma, though impractical, and with her provincial education lacking and unformed, still reflects a hopefulness regarding beauty and greatness that seems absent in the bourgeois class. Style[ edit ] The book was in some ways inspired by the life of a schoolfriend of the author who became a doctor. While writing the novel, he wrote that it would be "a book about nothing, a book dependent on nothing external, which would be held together by the internal strength of its style," [3] an aim which, for the critic Jean Rousset , made Flaubert "the first in date of the non-figurative novelists," such as James Joyce and Virginia Woolf. The "realism" in the novel was to prove an important element in the trial for obscenity: Emma may be said to be the embodiment of a romantic: Although in some ways he may seem to identify with Emma, [6] Flaubert frequently mocks her romantic daydreaming and taste in literature. Literary significance and reception[ edit ] Long established as one of the greatest novels, the book has been described as a "perfect" work of fiction. Ever since *Madame Bovary*, the art of the novel has been considered equal to the art of poetry.

*Big Little Lies* premiered on HBO in February. A show that was adapted from the best selling novel by Liane Moriarty. Reese Witherspoon, Nicole Kidman and Shailene Woodley star in the limited drama.

Not only does she go on a dangerous journey, she also returns to tell the tale. These films demonstrate alternative responses by men to female subjectivity during the peak of second-generation feminism. Chabrol ultimately punishes Alice for rebelling and reinscribes patriarchal norms upset by its deceptively deviating narrative. Caught in a storm as she drives away, she takes refuge in a country house off the highway, seemingly populated by the lord of the manor and his valet. Why is Alice punished? For leaving her husband? Is he the only one she abandons? Are these dream representations of her own family? Perhaps she is punished for her snobbery. Or is she simply that classic stereotype of the misogynistic s comedian "the bad woman driver? A fugue is a musical form that imitates and develops a given theme. Characters and situations in the books are often wittily transposed. The first reel of the film replicates the first reels of Che? Here, Alice is a liminal figure. She is first seen at a doorway, poised between her husband and their domestic milieu and the exit through which she will leave. This is the first of many thresholds or portals that Alice crosses, or that block her progress, or through which she is framed by others. Alice herself is caught in that intermediate space between the old life she is leaving and the new one that is yet to materialise. Alice or the Last Escapade Such liminality is appropriate to a narrative centred on a seven-year-old girl about to reach puberty, with all the physical and emotional transformations that implies. It seems less so for a story about a presumably sexually mature woman. Could this be a kneejerk, paternalistic reaction to the emergent and vocal feminism of the period? The Silent Cry embodies the physical and emotional deprecations of an anorexic woman. It is based on the experiences and writings of its star Bobby Gill, who devised the work with Dwoskin and also served as art director. The Silent Cry both invokes and fractures classical narrative orientation in its treatment of the protagonist and her relationship to camera space, location and plot development. The classical suture of sound and image is frequently unstitched; chronology is radically disrupted without the usual signifiers that make such interruptions coherent e. Disoriented by the physical and psychic damage wrought by her anorexia, The Silent Cry presents an Alice who is truly lost in a not-so-wonderful Wonderland. At nine years of age, Dwoskin was permanently disabled with polio. The condition has a seemingly arbitrary nature in that it does not follow a particular pattern "each case is individual to each person, affecting people marginally differently each time. It is a disorder which also has stages of remission, leaving a more questionable and doubtful position upon those afflicted. First published in Sight and sound, Autumn The Photography of Bill Brandt

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*Jean-Luc Godard, lover of paradox, once characterized Claude Chabrol's Les cousins () as "a deeply hollow and therefore profound film," a pronouncement, like so many of the pithy mots Godard used to reel off in the pages of Cahiers du cin ma, that is at once outrageously false and weirdly true.*

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## Chapter 7 : Huppert Incandescent in Chabrol's Faithful 'Bovary' - latimes

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*revolutionised French cinema in the late Fifties and came to be known as the "new wave".*